



St. Margaret's Parish



ST MARGARET'S, DUNFERMLINE & HOLY NAME, OAKLEY

28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**PSALM RESPONSE:
IN THE LORD'S OWN HOUSE WILL I DWELL FOR EVER & EVER**

Day	Date	Time	Intention
Sat	14	17:30 SM	Mary Cannings
Sun	15	09.30 SM	Helen Merrick RIP
		11:00 HN	The Cannings & Cusick Families
Mon	16		
Tue	17	09:00 HN	Communion Service
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Wed	18	09:00 HN	Communion Service
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Thu	19	10:00 SM	Mass of the Pilgrims
Fri	20	-	-
Sat	21	10:00 SM	Communion Service

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St Margaret's is a Parish of the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of St Andrew and Edinburgh, a Charity registered in Scotland SC0008540.

WELCOME

This Thursday we welcome a group of 28 pilgrims from USA lead by Fr Pollard who will be celebrating Mass at 10am in St Margarets.

FIFE BUS

Fife Bus, Fife Council's Demand Responsive Transport Service (DRT), provides door-to-door transport **for people who are unable to access mainstream public transport** and will also assist with your seatbelt if needed. Contact them on 03451 55 11 88 where the friendly staff will talk you through the process and let you know if you qualify. Registrations will be accepted between 11am and 2pm.

WE ARE ALL SAINTS

The Children's Liturgy Group will be hosting a 'come dressed as your favourite saint' for 9.30am Mass on 5th November.

MENS GROUP

Meets on Thursday 26th October starting at 19:30 in the Crypt. We have a guest speaker Duncan Weaver giving a talk on the Fife Pilgrim Way. All men of the Parish are welcome to attend.

LADIES GROUP

Reminder that there will be a CRAFT NIGHT on the 7th of November (7-9.30pm). May Pooley will hold a card making evening – you just need to bring your imagination as cards etc. will be provided if you do not have. Names please to Charlotte or Veronica by 31st October.

THE BULLETIN CHANGES

The bulletin shape and look will soon be changing.

To help offset the costs involved in this, we wish to offer local companies some advertising space in the redesign, for a small charge. If you are interested or know of such companies, please contact Paddy Mallan or Fr Syriac.

6 MONDAYS ON THE 7 SACRAMENTS

Will take place from 23rd October at 6.30pm in the Crypt – see flyer.

CHILDREN'S SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

Parents of children studying in non-Catholic schools who wish their child/children to receive the sacraments of reconciliation and First Holy Communion should be registered by 26th November for early evening preparation classes. If you are interested, please contact Kay Frizell on kayfrizell@gmail.com or phone 07933111972

PARISH CHARITIES

BONNIE BREW

Our Warm Space initiative takes place on Mondays 12-4pm in the crypt.

ONE WORLD GROUP

Account Name	St Margarets One World Group
Sort Code	83-33-00
Account Number	10191867

If you prefer to send a cheque, please contact our treasurer Maureen Japp on 01383 725967 or by email at maureenjapp17@gmail.com

SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL

St Margaret's	Holy Name
Account Name: SSVP AEO2044	Account Name: SSVP AEO2040
Sort Code: 800655	Sort Code: 802260
Account Number: 00768139	Account Number: 13364166

LAUDATE DEUM

Pope Francis recently published an Apostolic Exhortation building on his 2015 encyclical *Laudato Si'*.

In *Laudate Deum*, he writes that we are not reacting enough, that we're close to breaking point. He criticises climate change deniers, saying that the human origin of global warming is now beyond doubt. And he describes how care for our common home flows from the Christian faith.

To read more, see the Archdiocese News Page or Vatican News.

SYNOD

The Bishops of Scotland ask all Catholics in Scotland, and Scots of all faiths to pray for the Synod on Synodality especially during the month of October. All are asked to pray, every day of the Synod, the following prayer which has been invoked at Church Councils over the centuries, *Ad Sumus Sancte Spiritus*:

We stand before You, Holy Spirit, as we gather together in Your name.

With You alone to guide us, make Yourself at home in our hearts;

Teach us the way we must go and how we are to pursue it.

We are weak and sinful; do not let us promote disorder.

Do not let ignorance lead us down the wrong path nor partiality influence our actions.

Let us find in You our unity so that we may journey together to eternal life and not stray from the way of truth and what is right.

All this we ask of You, who are at work in every place and time, in the communion of the Father and the Son, forever and ever. Amen.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

I heard the voice of Jesus say, "Come unto me and rest; lay down, thou weary one, lay down Thy head upon my breast." I came to Jesus as I was, so weary, worn & sad; I found in him a resting place, & he has made me glad.

I heard the voice of Jesus say, "Behold, I freely give the living water; thirsty one, stoop down, & drink, & live." I came to Jesus, & I drank of that lifegiving stream; my thirst was quenched, my soul revived, & now I live in him.

Horatio Bonar